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SUBJ: NVA/VC TROOP MOVEMENT IN MR4

1. CORPS COMMANDER MG NGUYEN KHOA NAM TOLD ME THIS AFTERNOON E-1 REGIMENT/5TH NVA DIVISION HAS BEGUN MOVEMENT FROM PARROT'S BEAK AREA SOUTH ALONG MR3/MR4 BORDER. NAM ESTIMATES MOVEMENT WILL CONTINUE THROUGH NIGHT AND BY TOMORROW E-1 COULD BE IN POSITION TO ATTACK HIGHWAY 4 IN EITHER NE DINH TUONG PROVINCE OR LONG AN PROVINCE. AT SAME TIME, INFORMATION AVAILABLE TO NAM INDICATES E-3 REGIMENT MAKING SIMILAR MOVEMENT FROM HAU NGHIA PROVINCE.

2. TO MY QUESTION REGARDING POSSIBILITY OF MR4 TROOPS OPERATING INTO MR3 TO PROTECT HIGHWAY 4, NAM SHRUGGED SHOULDERS RESPONDING CONFIDENTIAL

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THAT HE IS RESPONSIBLE UP TO MR4 BOUNDARY ONLY. SAID ARTIFICIAL

ADMINISTRATIVE AND AO BOUNDARIES CONTINUE BEDERCIL GVN RESPONSE
TO NVA/VC INITIATIVE WHICH EXPLOIT THIS ORGANIZATIONAL RIGIDITY.

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